DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

Community Care Licensing Division Statewide Children's Residential Program Out-of-State Certification Unit



August 30, 2006

Mr. Lawrence Howell Executive Director Rite of Passage, Silver State Academy 100 Rosachi Road Yerington, Nevada 89477

Dear Mr. Howell:

SUBJECT: ANNUAL CERTIFICATION RENEWAL

Pursuant to California Family Code, Section 7911 et al., this is an official notification that Rite of Passage, Silver State Academy and two qualifying Houses on East Valley Road in Minden, have continued Out-of-State Certification by California Department of Social Services through 2007.

Certification will be reviewed annually. The Out-of-State Certification Unit will be following the Department's policy, having inspection authority to inspect with or without appointment.

Please contact me at (530) 895-5882, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kathy Bakke Licensing Program Analyst

Stacy Burdue, Manager and Deputy Compact Administrator
Out-of-State Placement Policy Unit
Mei Yuk Kung, Statewide Children's Residential Program